

## ENGINEER TRACK TEAM EAGER TO EVEN COUNT WITH CORNELL

### TOMORROW'S EVENT IS BETTER BALANCED THAN THAT OF 1926

Steinbrenner, Goodwillie, and  
Meagher, Are Among  
Favorites

#### TEAMS WELL MATCHED

Determined to make up for the defeat in last year's dual meet, Technology's fast track team left yesterday afternoon for Ithaca, New York, where they will oppose Cornell University tomorrow. The Cardinal and Gray has a much improved team over last year and should press the Ithacans to the limit. At this time both squads appear so well matched that it is almost impossible to predict a winner. First places will be well divided leaving the third and fourth placing men to actually decide the result.

Cornell has lost one very capable man in Russell, star dash man on last season's squad. To match this the Engineers have lost George Leness, winner of both the 440, and 880 against Cornell last year, as well as Sanford pole vault winner and Brodsky shot put winner. In new additions Cornell has Benson, one of the best two milers in the East at the present time, and Anderson in the shot put. For Technology, Cy Meagher, Jack Hallahan, Worthen and Robinson, are a few who, while not placing in last years meet are expected to be heavy scorers tomorrow.

**Mile and 440 Feature Races**  
From present indications, the mile, quarter, and two mile would appear to be the feature races. In the mile Cornell has a promising candidate in Brander who took first in the Michigan meet. To match him Technology has three formidable entries, Kirwin, Robinson, and Worthen, any one of whom may take the honors. The 440 should be a real race from the start with Werly of Cornell, runner up to Leness last year, Cy Meagher, sensational Institute quarter miler, and Jack Hallahan his running mate, all entered. If Benson of Cornell runs tomorrow, in the two mile the result will be in the well known bag, but it is not yet certain that he will be on the starting line. If he is not entered Austin and Norm McClintock have an excellent chance of carrying off the honors for the Beavers.

It is to be expected that Hank Steinbrenner will win both the high and low hurdles, but Caruthers of the Red and White, who placed second to him in both events last year, will press him to the limit. Goodwillie crack Ithacan dash man is expected to take both the 100 and 220, with Jack Wiebe of the Cardinal and Gray forcing him in the

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#### In Memoriam

Roger Allen Rust '26 died Wednesday morning from a gangrenous condition following an operation for appendicitis. Ten days before his death, he had weathered the operation successfully but internal poisons accumulated in his body during the period. All day Tuesday up to the hour he passed away he suffered acutely and was delirious to the end. He was enrolled in Course V as a graduate student and was a candidate for the degree of Master of Science in Chemistry. The funeral will take place from his home, 105 Washington street, Gloucester, Mass., tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### Earthquake Peril Is Discussed By Noted Scientists

#### Spofford Declares 'Civilization Has Still Much to Fear From Eruptions'

Suggestions for meeting earthquake dangers were offered yesterday and Wednesday by the experts who spoke at the Institute during the sessions of the eastern section of the Seismological Society of America. The Rev. James B. Macelwane, chairman of the section, presided over its second annual meeting, and among the forty members present were leading engineers and geologists from many parts of the United States and Canada.

Opening the Wednesday session, the chairman stressed the progress in knowledge and control of the earthquake problem which has been facilitated by the work of the society. John R. Freeman of Providence, a civil and mechanical engineer, was the first

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## Cohorts Of THE TECH Are All Set For Slaughter Of t. e. n. Weaklings

#### Interview Shows Remarkable Ignorance on Part of Monthly Staff

Paternal affection will play no part in the Great Massacre of 1927, comparable only to that of the Boston Massacre of Revolutionary days, when the insignificant forces of t. e. n. will attempt to pit their strength against the smooth-working, fast-playing, baseball nine of THE TECH on Wednesday afternoon. At present, negotiations are under way for the obtaining of sufficient undertakers to carry off the corpses.

In bygone days the present engineering smut sheet was a mere department of THE TECH, but the latter being democratic to the extreme gave their subordinates self government. In less than a half year it was apparent that the new organization was doomed to a continual state of coma which time could never repair, for instead of advancing on the glorious road of self dependency they had sunk lower and lower finally reaching their present oblivion.

That t. e. n. has accepted the challenge of THE TECH to engage in a baseball game is not to be construed as meaning that the former organization has taken on a new lease of life, but rather that they are making a final attempt to act as men should, knowing that death is imminent.

An interview by a reporter of THE TECH with prominent members of the t. e. n. staff revealed the following astounding facts:

1. That not one of the staff could distinguish between a baseball and a football.
2. That a "diamond" was one of the four suits of playing cards.
3. That a "Texas leaguer" is a cowboy.
4. That "Babe" Ruth is a chorus girl.
5. That a "foul" is a biped commonly found in barnyards.

## JOPE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CLASS OF 1928 --- LYLES HEADS GRADUATING CLASS

### \$250 IS DONATED BY COMMITTEE TO AID FLOOD RELIEF

Paul H. Gill '29 Barred From  
Further Membership on  
Committee

#### ELECTIONS ANNOUNCED

Two hundred and fifty dollars will be the gift of the Technology undergraduates to the American Red Cross for use in the Mississippi River flood devastation Relief work, as a result of the appropriation of that amount by the Institute Committee in its meeting yesterday, the money being taken from the Reserve and Contingent Fund.

Paul H. Gill '29, retiring President of the Sophomore class, was barred from further membership in the Institute Committee during his stay at the Institute, as a result of the excessive number of absences and proxies occurring in relation to his attendance at meetings of the Committee. The Committee felt that this action was justified and would also serve as a warning to future members that continued absences would not be tolerated.

Recent elections to the Technology Christian Association, Dormitory Committee, Combined Professional Societies and Tech Show were read and ratified subject to the approval of the Point System Committee. Marcus W. Keyes '28 will head the Combined Professional Executive Board for next year as Chairman with Norman C. Parsons '28 as Secretary and Treasurer.

Major elections to the Professional Societies were as follows: Aeronauti-  
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#### Newly Elected Head Of The Class of 1928



Ralph T. Jope

### Quota of Senior Week Signups Is Almost Reached

#### Stage Two of Superheater Will Come Out May 16, at Time Of Redemption Drive

Reports from the Senior Week Committee state that the signup drive for the affair, which took place Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week, has proceeded so well that the quota of blanket tickets which will be sold is all but reached. The last chance which the fourth year men will have to get signups will be today and tomorrow noon in the Main Lobby, where there will be a salesman in attendance.

On May 16, the campaign to redeem the signups will be started, and on the same day, the second "stage" of the Senior Superheater will be distributed to the members of the graduating class. The second issue of the Senior paper will contain articles expressing the attitude of several of the more prominent members of the Class of 1927 towards Senior Week. It will contain several stories of the lighter type such as the articles on Orville B.  
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### ALLEN WILL LEAD SOPHOMORES—'30 CHOOSES HOUSTON

Walker Memorial Committee  
Head Retains Position On  
Executive Committee

#### THE BALLOTING IS CLOSE

Ralph T. Jope was elected President of the Class of 1928 in Wednesday's election, it was announced last night at the meeting of the Institute Committee. Jope, automatically becomes President of the newly appointed Institute Committee. C. Brigham Allen will be President of the Class of 1929 and D. Tullis Houston will head the Class of 1930 during the coming year, it was announced. James A. Lyles was elected permanent President of the Class of 1927.

Jope prepared for the Institute at Portland High School and entered Technology as a freshman. He was on the Technique staff during his first two years, was advertising manager of the yearbook during the past year and at present is business manager of the annual. Last year he was elected vice president of his class, and became president on the resignation of Edward E. Chute, former president, last winter. Jope was a member of the Student Council at the Summer Surveying Camp, General Manager of Benchmark, president of the M. I. T. Debating Society and a member of the Junior Prom Committee, Theta Tau, Pi Delta Epsilon and the Calumet Club.

Allen has taken active interest in Institute athletics. In his freshman year he was a member of the field day relay team and later joined the freshman track and basketball squads. This year he was on the Sophomore field day relay team, Varsity basketball and track teams. Allen was also on the Sophomore  
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### DORM COMMITTEE MEMBERS ELECTED

J. P. Bailey '28 New Dorm  
Chairman; Hall Chairman  
Also Elected

John P. Bailey '28 won out over Floyd W. Buck '28 in the Dorm elections yesterday. These two men were nominated by the newly elected Dorm Committee and are members of that body.

Elections for the Dorm Committee have been conducted by the Dorm residents yesterday and last Tuesday. The Dorm Committee is a body consisting of one member representing each hall.

Nominations of two or three juniors from each hall were made by the Seniors in the Dorms. The residents of each hall except Seniors voted for the chairman of their hall on Tuesday. The hall chairmen are J. P. Bailey '28-Holman, G. H. Hathaway '28-'93, W. I. Bendz '28-Ware, W. H. Phillips '28-Atkinson, S. E. Currier '28-Runkle, C. E. Richeimer '28-Nichols, and F. W. Buck '28-Crafts.

These men have already been approved by the Dormitory board, consisting of Dean Talbot, Prof. L. Hamilton and Barsar Ford. The Institute Committee in its meeting last night ratified these elections, and the Point System Committee also placed its approval on the men, thus making it unanimous.

#### CALENDAR

Friday, May 6  
7:30—Radio Society Meeting, Room 5-330.  
Monday, May 9  
5:00—Christian Science Society Meeting, Room 4-132.  
Tuesday, May 10  
9:00—Menorah Society Dance, North Hall, Walker.  
Wednesday, May 11  
3:00—T. E. N. Slaughter, Baseball Field.

## Class Officers Elected

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## RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVES

IT IS unfortunate that certain individuals in the undergraduate body have in the past failed to realize the importance of the Institute Committee in regard to the affairs of student life. Apparently a great many men have not thought of the fact that the Institute is proud that its undergraduate affairs are entirely handled by students working on the Institute Committee and its sub-committees.

This fact of free undergraduate government is too often disregarded and little thought given to its advantages. Many colleges throughout the country have been subjected for years to the supervision of the Faculty and indications seem to point that they will continue to remain under this supervision in years to come. Our student government is an advantage of which Technology as a whole is benefitted. We enjoy both the freedom and the responsibility connected with the management of our own student affairs.

We are therefore very keenly disappointed when we hear of certain undergraduates who slack the offices to which they have been chosen in good faith by their classmates. A seat on the Institute Committee is never a personal matter for such members are chosen to this Committee as will make it truly representative of the student body and the several activities in which this body is interested. When one of these delegated representatives fails to appear at meetings he is depriving the particular group which he represents of a voice in its own government.

At the meeting of the Institute Committee held last evening it was found advisable to deprive one individual of any future seat on the committee during his stay at Technology. This action was taken because this man had been absent from the meetings for a number of times and had on other occasions presented proxies, the number of which seemed unwarranted. We sincerely hope that the new Institute Committee, coming in at the next meeting will be made up in its entirety of responsible students so that a repetition of this punishment will not be found necessary.

## A NEW REFORM NEEDED

IT IS some time since THE TECH has backed any reform of capital magnitude. It has been on our mind for a long time that something about the Institute needed reforming; but what that something was, no one knew. At last it has come to light. It is concerned with no less a matter than the design of the Institute buildings themselves.

Men who have been accustomed to believe that the design of the buildings was perfection itself, will be interested to learn of this startling revelation. Its significance is felt daily, yes, even hourly, by countless numbers of Technology students. But the remarkable fact is that few have been aware of it. This needed reform is but just a minute, we must preface the measure by a preliminary remark or two.

In the first place, it is undoubtedly true that the majority of Technology men are right-handed: a very significant point in the light of the facts to come. Secondly, the majority of men carry their books in the left hand; another important point to remember. Now to the situation.

Whenever one of this right-handed, carrying-books-in-the-left majority wishes a drink of water, he must either change his books to the right hand, or secure his water by means of a dextrous contortion of the right arm, by which the right elbow assumes the logical position of the left, whereupon may drink by the simple expedient of chinning himself on his right shoulder.

The evil is no less a one than this: all the bubbler faucets are on the wrong side of the bubbler. What are we going to do about it?

## THE EDITORIAL SPECULUM

The Institute Committee has announced at several times that it would be necessary for all active undergraduate organizations to submit a copy of their constitutions. At the last meeting of this committee it was moved that those organizations, who had not turned in a copy of their constitution by the time of the next meeting two weeks hence, be declared inactive and cancelled. The list of organizations affected by this action includes twelve honorary fraternities and nine societies or undergraduate clubs.

Undoubtedly several of the organizations on this list will be weeded out by this process, and there are several who we believe should be removed. If an undergraduate society or honorary fraternity has a valid reason for its existence it is to be welcomed for such organizations are to be welcomed, but if they are merely a group of charm wearers they had better submit, to their execution at the next Institute Committee meeting.

The Beavers' game with Tufts not only emphasized the fact that our field is in sore need of a score board, but also that the so called diamond did not serve the players much better than a vacant lot. Surely, with all these fine engineers at the Institute some one ought to be able to lay out a better field so that fielders do not have to run into fences, automobiles, and freshman Kaydets.

Of late, interclass athletic meets have taken a rather disappointing turn. The interclass track meet the student support was flat. There could not have been 25 individuals in the stands. The meet was carried off in about the same manner. No announcements of events or scores were made, two or three events taking place at the same time; the field was a conglomeration of men in athletic uniforms and team managers proudly displaying their badges and lazily condescending to view the events.

## As We Like It

### THE NIGHT HAWK

Although "The Night Hawk" at the New Park Theatre is labeled "a tense human comedy," it would be more accurately described as an old fashioned melodrama brought up to date.

A night hawk who is getting old is told by a doctor that unless she reforms she cannot live but a couple years. While in the waiting room she reads in a medical magazine of a Viennese doctor's experiments in rejuvenation. On the strength of her pleas and her promises to reform the doctor agrees to try the treatment on her. After a successful treatment the doctor secures her various positions none of which she holds long due chiefly to the desire of the masculine employees to secure their daily ration of kisses.

Marriage to some respectable man is finally advised by the doctor in desperation. However, the respectable man who falls for her charms happens to be the doctor's own brother who, although he is twenty-four is extremely dependent on the doctor. Of course the doctor fees he must tell his brother the truth and the engagement is broken off. After indulging in a few angry tirades against the doctor, the night hawk reforms completely and leaves for her brother's farm in Kansas.

The cast is nothing exceptional. Carol McComas as Maisie Buck, the night hawk, called forth considerable laughter and applause from the audience. As melodrama it is quite complete, even to the moral ending.

H. T. G.

Recent investigations made at Cornell fraternity houses show that men take on an average of eight minutes to eat while women usually require twenty minutes. A waiter when questioned said that men eat and do not talk while women talk and do not eat.

## PLAY DIRECTORY

### STAGE

COLONIAL: "Criss Cross."—If you like the Stones.  
COPLEY: "The Ghost Train."—Last week of the Clive success.  
HOLLIS: Dark.  
MAJESTIC: "Pickwick."—Dickens dramatized.  
PLYMOUTH: "Iolanthe" and "The Pirates of Penzance."—For something different.  
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ST. JAMES: "The Butter and Egg Man."—A well presented farce.  
TREMONT: "Oh, Please."—Just for Beatrice Lillie.  
WILBUR: "Yes, Yes, Yvette."—Even better than "No, No, Nanette."  
SCREEN  
METROPOLITAN: "Afraid of Love."—Florence Vidor.  
STATE: "Demi Bride."—Norma Shearer.

## Many Distinguished Men Terminated Their College Careers Prematurely

### Sedition, Atheism, and Poor Scholastic Standings Were Reasons

American colleges like Oxford have a list of distinguished men who have been expelled for various crimes such as sedition, atheism, mob fighting, and manslaughter, according to *The New Student*, which has taken the trouble to list the most distinguished of those expelled.

Perhaps the first of the "culprits" was John Fiske, who was on the edge of expulsion from Harvard in 1861. Fiske was one of the first in America to be stirred by the Darwinian theory. The faculty, frightened for fear he would ruin the morale of other Harvard students, finally "got something on him." He was caught reading a volume of Comte in church, and was brought before the faculty. In spite of the protests, he was finally excused with a "public admonition."

Poor scholarship is also sometimes a good excuse for expulsion. James MacNeil Whistler was deficient in Chemistry at West Point. Upon informing his instructors that silicon was a gas, he immediately retired to private life.

Even writers of the contemporary era were not immune; they revealed a more rebellious spirit than their Victorian predecessors. Some were dismissed, while others left voluntarily, an atmosphere they found too stifling. Stephen Crane was the most prominent of the criminals; he lounged at Syracuse in the rear room of a restaurant, listing to a story of a classmate who sold articles to *The Detroit Free Press*, who assured him that the police court was the most interesting place in Syracuse. He won the enmity of the faculty by telling one of the instructors that he disagreed with St. Paul's theory of sin, while he seriously shocked the wife of another authority by declining to meet a Mrs. Willard at her home because he thought her a fool.

One year was all that Theodore Dreiser needed of the University of Indiana. He was not known at the University through his scholastic or athletic ability. He was preoccupied as a freshman and was often found wandering aimlessly through the fields or in his room tying and untying knots in his handkerchief. To everyone he was an intellectual misfit, and failed to find any philosophy that eased his mind toward the seemingly prosaic tragedies that engulfed him.

Eugene O'Neil was the victim of circumstances, having been expelled at the end of his freshman year for a trifling crime. He could have returned after a year of idleness, but at that time he was busy investigating a world whose reverberations never entered the precincts of a campus.

Sinclair Lewis, not to be outdone, too, left college to return later. In spite of the fact that he was a drawing Middle Westerner from Sauk Center, he was constantly in rebellion against the Yale environment. After his Junior year, when he edited *The Yale Literary Magazine*, he fled college and lived at Helicon Hall, Upton Sinclair's haven for radicals in New Jersey. After some harrowing experiences he returned to Yale for his degree.

A Harvard professor told Conrad Aiken to interpret the work of a French dramatist. The subject inter-

ested him so much that he lost sight of everything else, rolled up an astonishing number of cuts. He left college in disgust, but later returned on the request of an uncle.

Women do not seem to be immune either, for the only reason that Edna St. Vincent Millay graduated with her class at Vassar, was that the majority of her classmates refused to take their degrees without her. She faced the penalty of expulsion for some misdemeanor that is not exactly known.

## Undergraduates State Causes Of Student Suicide

That moral laxity, lack of understanding between parents and children, and a shattering of religious convictions are some of the causes to which college men and women attribute the so called "wave" of mental depression in our colleges and schools is shown by a series of articles in the *New York Evening Post*. According to the *Minnesota Daily*, the printed articles are the best this paper has received in answer to the question "Has the American undergraduate a post-war neurosis?"

Some of the causes to which students attribute this state of melancholy feeling are summarized as "moral laxity hastened by the World War," "lack of understanding between parents and children," "the American undergraduate has seen too much of life, has lived too quickly, and has grown old too soon," and "Youth has attempted to dig beneath the surface in order to get more from life than his ancestors."

"In all the articles selected for publication," states the *Evening Post*, "it is apparent that our offer has led the students to put into words what they have had in mind for some time. The views expressed here, and in succeeding articles, are bred of mature thought. Educators and parents would do well to give them serious thought."

In many instances this shattering of religious thought has been given the sole reason for this post-war neurosis "Student no longer believe in God, says one letter. 'Science has destroyed for us the comfort of the worlds of Heaven and Hell,' is another explanation. Still another point of view is expressed by a writer with 'The student is not suffering from a post-war neurosis, but from a worn-out creed of allegiance I was commanded to believe in my years of adolescence.'"

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# TUFTS BASEBALL TEAM DOWNS BEAVERS

## Cardinal and Gray Crews Are Ready for Princeton Eights Tomorrow

### BROWN TROUNCES

#### M. I. T. IN TENNIS

Playing under adverse weather conditions the tennis team lost a rather spirited match to the racket wielders from Brown on Wednesday afternoon. Kuki playing against Remington of Brown provided Technology's only score in the singles. In the doubles the team showed more of its true form by taking the first two matches with ease and pushing Brown hard for the third.

Brown with three veterans, Captain O'Brien, Remington, and Marinsky from last year's team practically walked away with the singles. Marinsky opened the match with a surprise by winning handily from Captain Hinck of Technology. Kuki evened up the score for the Engineers by defeating Remington but the

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## Engineers Lead 6 to 1 At End of Third Inning, Then Tufts Squad Starts

For the first half of the baseball game against Tufts last Wednesday afternoon, the Beavers appeared to be easy winners; but thereafter the Engineers were swamped by an onslaught of hitting that will probably never again be equalled on the Institute diamond. The game was called at the end of the seventh with the score standing at 13 to 7 in favor of Tufts although twelve scores were brought

in during the first half of the eighth. The Beavers led at the end of the third by a score of 6 to 1 and then tied the count in the fourth. This slugging holiday was marked by the advent of a new Jumbo pitcher, Smith,

who was able to effectively restrain the Beavers to only one run.

**Beavers Strong for Three Innings.** Up to that time the Engineer outfit had not only weathered a storm of opposition but had placed ten men on base, made three sacrifice hits, and scored 6 runs. In this time a fine exhibition was given by every man on the team, but most especially by Fahey in retrieving long hits to center. Captain Crandall played a crack game at first, on one occasion thrilling the 400 spectators, with a stab into the right field territory to recover a foul fly, and on another, with a pick-up of a grounder out of his territory for an unassisted put-out. Cullinan was the outstanding man with the stick by turning in 3 runs from 4 times at bat, one of which times he smashed out a triple. Cran-

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### TIGER CREWS OPEN SEASON BY RACE ON RIVER TOMORROW

Orange and Black Frosh Have Best Chance to Take Home a Victory

#### FIRST MEET AT HOME

Forty-one crew delegates and three shells arrive here from Princeton this morning for the three races tomorrow afternoon. These are the first of this season's clashes for the Tigers. Of the trio of Orange and Black eights, the freshman boat seems to be the strongest as indicated by an informal triangular race on April 25, when the freshmen pulled away from both the first and second eights. Concerning the comparative strength of the Beavers and the Tigers, even Pat Manning could only hazard a guess at present for the Princeton eights do not go out for their first practice trips on the Charles until some time this morning.

With the Cardinal and Gray eights the relative strength of the crews seem to be in just the opposite order. The Beaver varsity has shown itself to be a considerably more powerful crew than either of the others; and though the freshman eight has been rapidly improving, especially in the last two weeks, it still ranks third of the trio. The only change that has been made in the varsity eight since the Annapolis race is the substitution of Oswald Karas as coxswain in place of Bob Cook. Karas has been handling the tiller ropes on the Jaycee shell up to the present time this season. Cedric Valentine, who has been coaching the 150 pounders for the past few weeks, was called out of town a few days ago. Since his departure, Dave Sutter, the coach of last year's champion light varsity eight, has been going out with the men every day and putting the finishing touches on the eight as a whole.

At 4:00 o'clock the freshmen race is scheduled to start, weather permitting. The Jayvee event will follow at about 4:30 and the starter will send the varsity eights off as near 5:00 as possible.

### CORNELL AND M. I. T. HOLD TRACK MEET

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century and Ike Stephenson offering the opposition in the 220.

As usual the field events will find the Engineers deficient. McCarthy has an excellent chance of winning the javelin throw, Glantzberg should get at least a second in the shot put, and Wiebe will perhaps take the broad jump, but beyond these three individual stars, chances for totalling many points in the field events are very slight.

Both Cornell and Technology have lost one dual meet this season. The former dropped a closely contested match to Michigan, 50½-44½, being without the services of Goodwillie, however. Technology was overwhelmed by Harvard 160½-60½.

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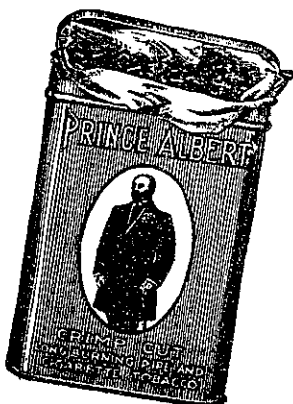
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## JOPE IS ELECTED SENIOR PRESIDENT

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Houston Are 1929 And  
1930 Presidents**

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Dance Committee, is President of the Beaver Club and has been on the art staff of Voo Doo during his two years at Technology.

Houston, newly elected President of the Class of 1930, prepared at Columbia High School, South Orange, N. J., where he was business manager of the school paper and a member of the Student Council. He was elected treasurer of the freshman class last fall, and was on the freshman football team. He has been on THE TECH since entering the Institute and is now news writer with that publication. Houston is also a member of the freshman dance committee.

James A. Lyles, permanent president of the Class of 1927, held the position of assistant manager of basketball during his freshman and Sophomore years, and in his Junior year was made manager of that sport. In past years he has held positions on the Committee for the Revision of the Student Tax, Smoker Committee, and Circus Committee, has been acting head of the Budget Committee, treasurer of the Institute Committee and was a member of the Point System Committee. During the past year he was President of the Senior Class and President of the Institute Committee, member of the Field Day Committee and Field Day marshal.

As a result of the special referendum ballot, it was decided that the Chairman of the Walker Memorial Committee shall retain his ex-officio position on the Executive Committee of the Institute Committee.

### Harry Hits Snag When He Asks For New Name

A Fitzpatrick wishes to become a Fitts but Fitts of Newton says no. In his endeavor to change his name to the shorter one, Harry M. Fitzpatrick '27 ran up against an unforeseen obstacle that may make him change his mind. Harry Fitts, wealthy engineer of Newton, who is all by himself in the directory, is the stumbling block. He has filed appearance in Middlesex probate court to keep the Fitzpatrick from becoming a Fitts by process of law.

Mr. Fitts, who is vice-president of a big Boston construction firm, says he has made his name mean something and he doesn't want it adopted offhand. The Technology Senior, though, has been known all his life as Fitts, answering to the name wherever he went. "I guess I'll have to fight it out, though its pretty tough, especially at exam time," grieved Harry, Jr.

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**Junior Varsity:** Bow, Stratt; 2, Newman; 3, Jamison; 4, Jackson; 5, Copeland; 6, MacKusick; 7, Nichols; 8, Gibbons; Cox, Bullock.

**Freshman:** Bow, Wells; 2, Burley; 3, Peters; 4, Abbott; 5, Landen; 6, Byrne; 7, Bennett; 8, Holt; Cox, Sidur.

PRINCETON

**Varsity:** Bow, Conwell; 2, Startford; 3, Ballentine; 4, Patty; 5, Rutherford; 6, Thompson; 7, Lawrence; stroke, Allison; cox, Cook.

**Junior Varsity:** Bow, Thompson; 2, Cooley; 3, Beale; 4, Kerr; 5, Eckerson; 6, Wray; 7, Dayton; stroke, Plum; cox, Nevius.

**Freshman:** Bow, Steinmetz; 2, Jones; 3, Reeves; 4, Ensley; 5, Lonette; 6, Lowry; 7, Voorkes; stroke, Lloyd, cox, Howe.

## SCIENTISTS DISCUSS EARTHQUAKE PERIL

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to present a paper. He spoke on "The Need for Better Seismograph Data for the Guidance of Structural Engineers." It was his judgment that thus far this delicate instrument is futile so far as assisting the engineer in developing earthquake proof structures.

Professor Charles M. Spofford '93, head of the department of Civil Engineering, read a paper on the "Types of Structures Best Fitted to Resist Earthquakes." "The tremendous losses of life and property in the last decade by earthquake shock," he said, "have strikingly demonstrated that civilization has still much to fear from the forces of nature; and have shown the scientist that in the study of this phenomenon there exists a fertile field for work in the interests of humanity."

Descriptive and technical papers were also contributed by Irving B. Crosby and Professor Kirtley F. Mather of Harvard on "The Geological Foundation of Boston, a Study in Local Seismicity"; Earnest A. Hodgson, director of the Dominion Observatory in Canada; Robert W. Sayles, Rev. Francis J. Torndoff, S.J., Dr. Perry Byerly, and Professor Louis H. Young of the Institute.

## COMMITTEE DONATES \$250 FOR RELIEF

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cal Engineering Society, Benjamin S. Kelsey '28, president, Everard M. Lester '28, vice president; James C. Reddig '29 treasurer; John C. Leslie '28 treasurer; Chemical Society, Albert J. Puschin '28 president, Everett V. Lewis '28 vice president, Arthur K. Scott '29 secretary-treasurer and Charles A. Southwick Jr. '28 trip manager.

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President Samuel W. Stratton will be host to the Institute Committee for its next meeting on May 19. Absentees from the meeting yesterday were Rand B. Jones '28, Paul H. Gill '29, Maurice Davier '27 and Louis D. Stetson '27.

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST

Will the person who took the new green slicker (Tower's Fish Brand) from the Economics library between 3 and 4 p. m. yesterday afternoon kindly return it to P. E. Ruch '28, 441 Beacon street, Boston. Reward.

FOUND

A gold Waltham wrist watch with leather strap on Open House night. Owner can obtain by proper identification on application to J. A. Parks, Jr., Room 302, Walker.

## SENIORS SELL MANY BLANKET TICKETS

**Second Issue of Superheater  
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Denison '11, and Benjamin Levinson '27 which appeared in the first stage of the Superheater.

According to the committee, all the arrangements for each event are being rapidly arranged so that the annual Senior function promises to be a gala event this year. The percentage of the graduating class who will attend the affair this year will be larger than last spring if all the signups are deemed.

## BROWN TENNIS STARS DEFEAT INSTITUTE

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other matches were just a series of wins for Brown, none of the matches except Kuki's win going more than two sets.

Cold weather and a slight drizzle rather spoiled the playing but the team is hoping for better luck on its trip to meet West Point at New York on Saturday.

The summary:

Singles

Score: Marinsky (Brown) defeated Hinek (M. I. T.) 6-4; 6-4. Kuki (M. I. T.) defeated Remington (Brown) 4-6, 6-4, 6-4. Swan (Brown) defeated Day (M. I. T.) 12-10. Eddy (Brown) defeated Kononoff (M. I. T.) 6-4, 6-4. O'Brien (Brown) defeated Kwauk (M. I. T.) 6-1, 6-2. Weaver (Brown) defeated Jordan (M. I. T.) 7-5; 6-0.

Doubles

Hinek and Day (M. I. T.) defeated O'Brien and Remington (Brown) 6-3, 6-3. Kuki and Kononoff (M. I. T.) defeated Eddy and Marinsky (Brown) 6-2, 6-4. Swan and Weaver (Brown) defeated Davier and Kwauk (M. I. T.) 8-6, 6-1.

## BEAVERS BEATEN BY TUFTS IN SLUGFEST

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dall, Crosby, Fahey, and Rhinehart also registered runs. The last two mentioned were homers.

Duplin started on the mound and did excellently for three innings, but then went to pieces. The short time that the team had for practice began to show in his efforts and at the end of the fifth, Crandall relieved him and was replaced by Richards at first. The shortage of pitching material in the Beaver squad, not of quality but of quantity, can well be held responsible for this defeat.

The summary:

**Beavers**  
Duplin, Crandall, p. . . . p. Bowker, Smith  
Ackerman, David, c. . . . c. Dorenbaum  
Crandall, Richards, lb. . . . lb. Kelley  
Rhinehart, 2b. . . . 2b. Strathee  
Cullinan, 3b. . . . 3b. Leonard, Kennedy  
Boyle, Donahue, ss. . . . ss. Ellis  
Farwell, lf. . . . lf. Herman  
Fahey, cf. . . . cf. Burgess  
Crosby, Bell, rf. . . . rf. Fitzgerald  
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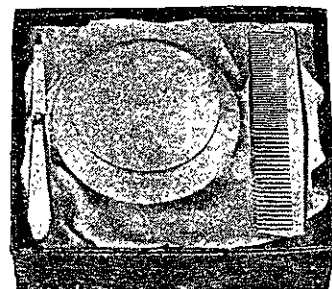
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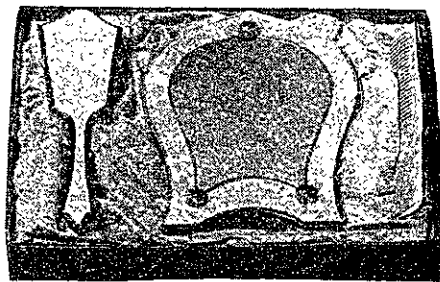
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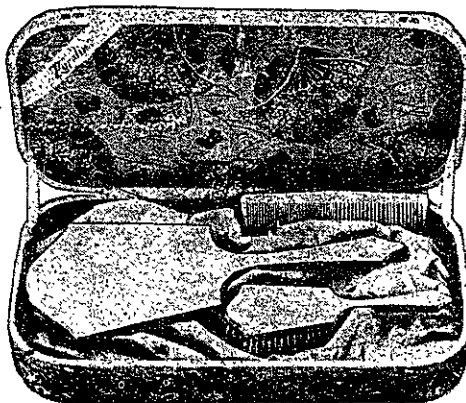
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